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**Notice of Completion of Inventory of Native Hawaiian Human Remains from Waimanalo, Oahu, Hawaii, in the Possession of the Phoebe Hearst Museum of Anthropology**

**AGENCY:** National Park Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice.

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Notice is hereby given in accordance with provisions of the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act, 25 U.S.C. 3003(d), of the completion of an inventory of human remains identified as 12-10738-39 in the possession of the Phoebe Hearst Museum of Anthropology (PHMA), University of California, Berkeley, CA. Lineal descendants and representatives of culturally affiliated Native Hawaiian organizations are advised that these human remains will be retained by PHMA until July 2, 1993, after which they may be repatriated to a lineal descendant or culturally affiliated Native Hawaiian organization.

The detailed inventory and assessment of the human remains identified as 12-10738-39 has been made by PHMA staff. They comprise two mandibles, two hand bones, and one foot bone. The minimum and maximum number of individuals included in this number is a minimum of two to a maximum of four. This material was acquired (method unknown) in 1887 by the former Geological Survey of the University of California and subsequently included in the collections of the Museum of Paleontology, University of California at Berkeley (established 1923). These specimens were transferred to the care of PHMA in 1970. The transfer includes other miscellaneous materials accessioned to the Paleontology Museum but which are unrelated to these human remains. A small card with the specimens indicates that the human remains were collected from the beach at Waimanalo, Oahu. No other data exist to document the circumstances of recovery, nor is there any reference to a possible date (i.e., modern, historic, prehistoric) for the individuals. All of the available University held document sources have been examined, including both the PHMA and Museum of Paleontology accession sheets, envelopes, and cards, catalogs, and correspondence files located in the Bancroft Library. All staff involved in the transfer of the material were also interviewed. Information was based on PHMA catalogs, accession cards, envelopes, sheets, and intermuseum records of material transfer.

After considering the evidence, the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Review Committee has determined a relationship of shared group identity between these human remains and present day Native Hawaiian organizations. This notice has been sent to representatives of Hui Mālama I Nā Kūpuna 'O Hawai'i Nei and the Office of Hawaiian Affairs. Representatives of any other Hawaiian organization which believes itself to be culturally affiliated with these human remains should write to the Phoebe A. Hearst Museum of Anthropology, 103 Kroeber Hall, University of California, Berkeley, CA 94720, or call (510) 642-3681 before July 2, 1993.

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